

# COLUMBIA DEMOCRAT.

ALEM B. TATE, LOCAL EDITOR.

Bloomsburg, November 21, 1857.

## RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Divine services will be held in Bloomsburg, to-morrow, (Sunday, Nov. 22d,) at the following Churches:  
**Lutheran Church.** —Rev. A. SHARRETT, Service at 11 o'clock, A. M. Bell ringing at half past ten. Hereafter there will be no bell rung for night services.  
**Methodist Church.** —Service at 6½ o'clock, P. M., in the Basement of the new Church, on Third Street.  
**Presbyterian Church.** —Rev. D. J. WALLACE.—Service at 10 o'clock, A. M.

A valuable improvement has been effected, during the past week in the work of cleaning the Court House and yard.

We have been requested to state, that the Stores, Shops, Offices, &c., in Bloomsburg, will be closed on Thanksgiving Day. Our farmers and all others interested will please take notice.

As we write the town clock is just striking nine, and that reminds us, that the thanks of the citizens of Bloomsburg are due it for the faithful record of time it has kept since its erection.

We learn that a Protracted Meeting is being held by the Methodist Congregation of Light Street. We hope it may result in the accomplishment of much good. May the Spirit continue to awaken, to defend the system, since its own authors and advocates avow it to be rotten and abandon it to contempt!

## Thirty Fifth Congress.

The first session of the Thirty Fifth Congress—at which time our member elect, Hon. PAUL LEIDY, will take his seat—will commence at Washington, in three weeks from next Monday, in relation to which the Constitution says, "such Meeting shall be on the first Monday in December." Congress is composed of the following number of members:

Senate, ..... 62  
House, ..... 234

Whole number, ..... 296

Democratic majority, on joint ballot, ..... 34

## RECAPITULATION.

SENATE  
Democrats, ..... 35  
Opposition, ..... 25  
Vacancies, ..... 2

62

Democratic majority 10.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Democrats, ..... 129

Know-Nothings, ..... 15

Black Republicans, ..... 49

234

Democratic majority 54.

DELEGATES FROM THE TERRITORIES.

Minnesota.—W. W. Kingsbury.

Oregon.—Joseph Lane.

New Mexico.—M. A. Otero.

Utah.—John M. Bernhard.

Washington.—L. I. Stevens.

Muskrat.—M. J. Parrot.

Nebraska.—F. Ferguson.

The following members have been elected to represent Minnesota upon her admission as a State into the Union: Geo. Becker, W. W. Phelps, and — Kavanagh, (all Democrats.)

C. Co. Exp.

Never the "Goosy," Doctor, so long as we enjoy so much fun in chasing down the old Gander!

Cosmopolitan Art Journal, a Quarterly publication for December, being No. 1 of Vol. 2, is on our table. It is designed to be the mouth piece of the Cosmopolitan Art Union Association, one of the most enterprising companies of the day; though it is also at the same time in the front rank of the magazines, both in a literary and artistic point of view.

We direct attention to the prospectus of the Association in another part of this paper; and are happy to recommend it to the active co-operation of all our readers.

The Corn Crop of Columbia county is being housed, and the accounts from all sections indicate that the yield is an abundant one. The prices range at about 40 to 50 cents per bushel. The cheapness and abundance of this grain, in connection with its nutritive qualities, will be the means of keeping gaunt starvation from many a humble dwelling this winter.

We understand that on last Sunday, some person shot a fine Deer in the Susquehanna River, opposite Mr. Joseph W. Hendershot's residence. We could have vouch for the truth of the statement with a clear conscience, if we had been the recipients of a "hank," but as it is, we merely give the rumor, and let it pass for what it is worth.

Passing recently through the village of Benton, we were surprised at the improvements which were everywhere manifest. Having been absent from the place, for near three years, we were indeed gratified to observe the progress of improvement, and feel much like congratulating the citizens of that locality, on their neat looking and healthy village. Mr. John J. Stiles, kept an excellent Hotel in Benton.

Our readers have already been surprised of the fact, that the members of the Methodist Church and congregation here, of which the Revs. George Warren, and N. W. Colburn, are the pastors, have the past year erected a splendid brick church edifice. It is pleasantly located on Third Street, and presents a very respectable and imposing appearance. They deserve credit for their enterprise in adding to the prosperity and moral grandeur of Bloomsburg.

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Sarah Miller, 2.00 Franklin House, 7.00

John B. Haskins, 2.25 H. A. Haskins, 1.00

T. W. Walker, 1.00 E. B. Hartman, 1.75

Joseph Lockard, 1.00 Prof. Anderson, 1.00

Frank Phillips, 1.00 Dr. W. C. Acely, 1.00

Am. Bank, 2.00 D. B. Wagner, 1.00

Star Miller, 2.00 Jacob S. Evans, 2.50

Annie Noble, 1.00 T. J. V. Sharpe, 1.00

George W. Shaffer, 3.00 H. D. Adams, 1.00

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MARRIAGES.

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